

west extort even to the confinement of the vessel. We are anxious that Dr. Thompson will do his best to punish the daring disobedience of the laws upon which we depend for our safety from contagion.

**The Map of Europe.**—We have received from Mr. W. Johnson, of No. 21 Nassau-st., a Map of Europe with a portion of Asia and Africa. It is remarkable even among maps for its "Know Nothing" method of spelling. Kaffa, for instance, is spelled Kafa; De breuse, Debreuse; Lemberg, Lemburg; Desean, Desean; Kiev, Rive, Pofar, Pofar, and so on. Among the French departments, Morbihan is spelled Morbihan; Berriant, Heredit; Corseve, Corseve; Loire de Chir, Loire de Chir. We are accustomed to seeing all sorts of barbaries inflicted on Russian and Turkish names, and have become tolerably well hardened to it, but when good old Christian towns and enlightened French departments are so cruelly managed, it is difficult to remain indifferent. The plate from which this "modern" map is printed, is evidently one of venerable age, as the print shows many marks of wear-out type. This blindness, with the necessary concession of the southern portion to accommodate the northern solitudes, (the map is on Mercator's projection, or rather distortion,) make it altogether an unsatisfactory affair. A new plate, and a more study of modern authorities is recommended to the publisher.

**The Evening Post** states, on the authority of Senator Wilson, that a dangerous man, name unknown, but believed to be a citizen of Williamsburgh, jumped from the steamer New World, on Saturday evening, on her passage from Albany. The boat did not stop, and no effort was made to rescue him; and it is believed he was drowned. There was much excitement on board of the boat in consequence of the occurrence. It is said the engineer of the boat was notified immediately.

**CITY MORTALITY.**—The official report of the City Inspector for the past week exhibits a very satisfactory condition of the public health. The total number of deaths was 500, namely: 48 men, 66 women, 182 boys and 180 girls—an increase of two on the mortality of the week previous. The diseases prevalent are those affecting the brain and nerves and digestive organs. Of other complaints the mortality is comparatively trifling. The principal causes of death during the week past were: Consumption, 33; congestion of the lungs, 8; dropsy in the head, 23; inflammation of the lungs, 8; dropsy, 25; diarrhoea, 7; convulsions, 6; infantile, 52; scrofula, 9; whooping cough, 13; marasmus, infantile, 62; teething, 5; typhus fever, 6; other fevers, 10; and scrofula, 4. There were two suicides by hanging, two by prussic acid, and one by shooting; one murder, one premature birth, and thirty-three cases of stillborn. The following is the classification of diseases: Bones, joints, &c., 2; brain and nerves, 130; generative organs, 5; heart and blood-vessels, 5; lungs, throat, &c., 84; skin, &c., and eruptive fevers, 14; stillborn and premature births, 34; stomach, bowels and other digestive organs, 210; uncertain seat and general fevers, 22; urinary organs, 3; old age, 4. Of the foregoing 16 were from violent causes. Of the whole number 36 were inmates of the public institutions. The nativity table gives 401 natives of the United States, 32 of Ireland, 33 of Germany, 4 of Scotland, and the balance of various foreign countries.

**ELECTION OF A CAPTAIN.**—Mr. John Lindsey, Adjerman of the Fourteenth Ward, was elected Captain of Company G, Seventy-second Regiment, on Friday last.

**THE INMATES OF THE COUNTY INSTITUTIONS.**—A meeting of citizens of different religious denominations was recently held at the Mayor's office, for the purpose of taking measures to provide the inmates of the county institutions with the means of salvation. Mr. Robert Banks was chosen, who it is anticipated, will immediately enter upon the duties of his new position. The institutions, which are all located at Plattsburgh, except the central, contain 1,200 persons. The number from six to ten hundred are in the Hospital; four hundred in the Nursery; two hundred in the Penitentiary, and two hundred in the Lunatic Asylum. The Committee solicit the co-operation of their fellow-christians in procuring means to keep the work thus commenced progressing.

**ACQUITTED.**—Wm. J. Cook, who was tried in the Court of Sessions on Friday, on the charge of false pretences, was acquitted by the jury, no intent to commit fraud being proven.

**COMMITTED IN FULL.**—John J. Henry, who was arrested on suspicion of setting fire to No. 99 Union on the 3rd of September last, was examined before Justice Smith on Friday and committed in full to await the action of the Grand Jury. James Quirk, arrested on the same charge, was examined, and evidence appearing to implicate him he was discharged.

**To the Editor of the N. Y. Tribune:**

SIR: An article appeared in THE TRIBUNE of Saturday, taken from THE INDEPENDENT, stating that "probably one hundred and twenty-five thousand strangers were in the City, and the hotels packed." There is about as much truth in that assertion as many others that appear in that paper. Such articles do much injury both to hotels and business generally, for it deters many from coming to the City. The hotels are not generally full. The season for a certain class, mostly business men, has arrived, and some of the down-town hotels are well filled; but there are some of our very best hotels in the upper part of the City, and they are not full. Among them are the Charendon, Union-Pace, Brevort, Bancroft, St. Dennis, Everett, &c., and strangers could find the best of accommodations at some of these hotels, in place of lodging on a cot with some dozen other strangers in the same room. It is really surprising that, since these hotels are located in the most fashionable and cleanly part of the City, strangers should prefer to be packed, as it is termed, in a few down-town hotels. If the papers, generally, in the City would recommend the up-town hotels to strangers, they would do a generous act both to the hotel-keepers and strangers.

JUSTICE.

A MAN AND HORSE DROWNED.—Frank Palmer, a youth 16 years of age, was driving a horse and wagon on the post road of Rutgers-on-Saturday evening, when the horse took fright and jumped into the dock, taking the wagon with it. Palmer was drowned. The horse, however, was unsuccessful and perished. The body was grappled for and recovered yesterday, and was taken to his late residence, No. 206 Stanton-st.

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**PURDY'S NATIONAL THEATER.**—Mr. J. H. ALLEN

AND SON TO-NIGHT.—"THE IRISH PRINCESS," "GOLDEN AX" AND

"GLORIOUS MINORITY"—a most excellent entertainment.

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**THE SCHOOLS OF HOBOKEN.**—Mr. Edmund Charles Superintendent of the Common Schools of Hoboken, has given notice that the new High School will be opened this Fall, and will be opened this (Monday) evening, at 9 o'clock.

A meeting of the Board of Education will be held on Thursday, 11 o'clock, to make any arrangements necessary for the accommodation or management of the schools.

Efforts are being made to open Prospect-st., Jersey City to Hoboken, to meet Newark, by which means a much shorter carriage communication between the two cities will be established.

**LAW INTELLIGENCE.**

**SUPREME COURT—SEPT. 15—SPECIAL TERM—Before Judge CLEVE.**

SUIT FOR DIVORCE.

Hugh McKimsey agt. Mary McKimsey.

The case was referred and testimony taken. Defendant, it is said, has given himself up to an abandoned life.

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**COMMERCIAL MATTERS.**

**Sale at the Stock Exchange—Sept. 15.**

5,000 Shares State St. 125. 50 Mich. Central R. R. 100

15,000 Missouri 60. 50 Mich. So. & N. R. R. 101

15,000 do. 60. 50 do. 100

1,000 Virginia 60. 50 do. 100

5,000 Erie Bonds 100. 50 do. 100

5,000 do. 100. 50 do. 100

5,000 H. & T. R. Bonds 100. 50 do. 100

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